

LISTING OF CLAIMS

- 1-28. (Cancelled)
- 29. (Previously Presented) A method of treating vasculitis comprising administering an antibody against interleukin (IL-6) receptor to a subject in need thereof.
- 30. (Withdrawn) A method treating vasculitis having resistance to steroids and/or immunosuppressants, comprising administering an antibody against interleukin (IL-6) receptor to a subject in need thereof.
- 31. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 29 wherein said vasculitis is polyarteritis nodosa.
- 32. (Withdrawn) The method according to claim 29 wherein said vasculitis is the aortitis syndrome.
- 33. (Withdrawn) The method according to claim 29 wherein said vasculitis is vasculitis associated with immunological abnormalities.
- 34. (Cancelled)
- 35. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 29 wherein said antibody against IL-6 receptor is a monoclonal antibody against IL-6 receptor.
- 36. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 29 wherein said antibody against IL-6 receptor is a monoclonal antibody against human IL-6 receptor.
- 37. (Withdrawn) The method according to claim 29 wherein said antibody against IL-6 receptor is a monoclonal antibody against mouse IL-6 receptor.
- 38. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 29 wherein said antibody against IL-6 receptor is a recombinant antibody.

39. (Original) The method according to claim 36 wherein said monoclonal antibody against human IL-6 receptor is PM-1 antibody.
40. (Withdrawn) The method according to claim 37 wherein said monoclonal antibody against mouse IL-6 receptor is MR1 antibody.
41. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 29 wherein said antibody against IL-6 receptor is a chimeric antibody, humanized antibody, or a human antibody against IL-6 receptor.
42. (Original) The method according to claim 41 wherein said humanized antibody against IL-6 receptor is a humanized PM-1 antibody.